

College Jeanne-Sauvé School Community Council
February 27, 2024
(Cafeteria)
7:00 PM

1. Meeting called to order - 7 :01 PM
 - a. Introductions – new member
 - b. Motion to pass last meeting minutes – Jaqueline, second Sarah; motion passed
 - c. Representative at budget meeting - Charlene attending to represent
2. President’s Report
 - a. Budget
 - i. 1482.
 1. \$500 for bursary awarded at end of the school year
 2. \$204 first round of exams
 3. \$777 – for appreciation
 4. \$377 for the end of the year – second round of exams
 - b. Parking
 - Jeannette – takes care of parking for the school. \$15/month (monthly payment acceptable). Sometimes spots open up throughout the year.
 - River Park South and Loving It Facebook Page – Large discussion online about concerns with students using parking at Dakota Community Centre. Public notice had gone out to provide awareness of an event online at Dakota to recommend parking. Lot of online conversation about parking availability.
 - CJS is growing and expanding.
 - Post removed however appeared opportunity to improve communications for clarification discussed (e.g. communication to the students, clarifying distinction between spots assigned to the school, the library or Dakota Community Centre, sight map could be placed online).
 - With additional planned development work at the school - will include addition of further parking spots for the school.
 - CJS rep S. Coughlan to follow-up with school administration on ideas and report back at the next meeting
 - ii. Noted plans to build a third rink at Dakota Community Centre
 - b. Update at next meeting on appreciation activities to be provided
2. Administrator’s Report
 - a. Highlight of activities undertaken at the school in recognition of Black History Month shared (video presentation). Theme for 2024 was learning about different black artists in different disciplines. Artist performed at CJS Fri 23rd. Lot of energy and well received
 - i. Feb 29th official day at CJS – students encouraged to wear black
 - ii. Plan for Asian Heritage Awareness Month
 - Transition to Semester 2 has gone well
 - Construction update
 - The 2nd floor has not been handed over for occupancy (since Feb 8th)

- Fitness room to be ready after return from Spring Break. Progressing well (old band room).
- Talks have begun on field development (i.e artificial field – collaboration with Dakota)
- Family of Schools have begun the transition to CJS. Tours have begun. Future Grade 9 students have or will visit CJS this week. Open House will be held Tuesday Mar 5th at 6:30 pm. Expecting another increase in numbers for next year (approximately 820 students in 2024-25) - Due Mar 14th to start planning for next year.
- Student Services Teacher have been meeting with their respective grades to talk about course registrations for next school year. Registrations are due back at school on March 14th.
- Musical Theatre will be presenting “Mamma Mia: on March 11 and 12. There will be two evening performances (March 11 and 12) and on matinee (March 12)
- Sports: Hockey playoffs are underway for our Girls Hockey team, our Boys unfortunately lost in the quarter finals. Basketball season is winding down, playoffs to follow.
- Need to have a representative from CJS SCC attend the Mar 5th Open House – short update on parent perspective shared at the Open House. Will note in the minutes call out for any member who may wish to attend to share their perspective on behalf of the committee

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 PM